

# Hope Star



**WEATHER**  
Arkansas—Freezing rain with probably some sleet or snow, cold wave, temperature 14 to 20 in northwest, 20 to 24 southwest, 20 to 28 in east Thursday night; Friday mostly cloudy, colder east and south.

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## ARSON DEFENDANT MISSING

### 60-Year Deadline on Supreme Court Cuts Out Robinson

Arkansan Apparently Eliminated by Roosevelt's Decision

#### YOUNGER JUSTICES

None Over 60 to Be Appointed to Any of Federal Court Posts

BY PRESTON GLOVER  
Associated Press Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Senator Joseph T. Robinson, the majority leader, gathered around him just before the opening session all the news men who usually cover the senate. He outlined the business of the session in general terms as is the custom of the majority leaders, and then swung into biting criticism of the supreme court position on wages and hours legislation.

What he said was reported at the time. He doubted efficacy of wage-hours legislation without a constitutional amendment. More on that later. What impressed numbers of the reporters present was that Senator Robinson's words sounded like a renewed bid for a supreme court berth—when a vacancy occurs.

**Age a Barrier**  
But what some of them must have overlooked was that President Roosevelt had thrown up a barrier which evidently meant that Joe Robinson could not become a supreme court justice, long as he reputedly has desired such an assignment.

Only a few hours before the Robinson press conference, the President had told another group of reporters that it was against his policy to appoint men above 60 to the federal bench. Senator Robinson is 64.

The question was raised in connection with appointment of a district judge. So positively did the President outline his 60-year-old policy, however, that those who had the Robinson situation in mind thought it would apply equally to any supreme court vacancies the President may have an opportunity to fill in the next four years.

**Great Influence Seen**  
Incidentally that 60-year pronouncement forgoes a New Deal flavor in the federal courts for many years to come. During the past four years the President has appointed 40 district judges. There are 157 in the country. He has also appointed 14 circuit judges.

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### Baptists Nearly Finish Debt Drive

State Convention Reports It Is Only \$18,000 Short of Goal

**BULLETIN**  
PARAGOULD, Ark. —(AP)—Fearing that rising flood waters may isolate this north Arkansas town the Arkansas Baptist convention rushed to complete its work and adjourn by 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon—one day ahead of schedule.

PARAGOULD, Ark. —(AP)—Dr. Otto Whittington, general director of the Arkansas Baptist convention's campaign to relieve one million dollars' indebtedness, reported Thursday that the campaign was only \$18,000 short of its goal.

He told the convention in annual session here, that the note holders had agreed to refund the indebtedness at 35 cents on the dollar, reducing the amount to be raised to \$350,000.

On recommendation of the debt redemption campaign committee, the convention voted to extend the campaign for a short time.

The executive committee of the board elected the Rev. Edgar Williamson of Paragould, state director of Sunday school work.

Telegraph messenger boys in Oklahoma City are equipped with white rain capes as a safety measure.

### Herndon Installed by Kiwanis Club

Carroll Thibault, District Lieut. - Gov., Hakes Main Address

The Kiwanis Club held its yearly installation of officers Tuesday night at the Capitol Hotel with a Ladies Night program. The installation was presided over by R. V. Herndon, president.

Carroll Thibault, lieutenant governor of the 7th division of the Mo-Ark-Kan district of Kiwanis International, made the installation and principal address.

The program was opened with the assembly singing the first verse of "America." Th. Rev. Bert Webb gave the invocation. The master of ceremonies, Leo Tauer, was then introduced by R. V. Herndon, who in turn introduced the members and their wives and guests.

Ruel Oliver introduced the members of his orchestra to the club and announced the numbers.

Dinner was served and afterward the club sang two songs. Miss Floyd sponsored a contest in which a phrase was given suggesting the name of an automobile, the contest being won by Mrs. C. P. Tolleson. The weekly contest sponsored by the winner of last week's contest was won by Mrs. Ray Allen, naming the number of people.

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### Parallel Parking on Second Street

City Council Effects Change From L. & A. to Chevrolet Agency

The city council Tuesday night adopted a motion requiring parallel parking of automobiles on Second street from the L. & A. tracks to Young Chevrolet company in an effort to relieve traffic congestion.

The street will be marked off in sections with enough space to allow plenty of room to enter and leave. Trucks will be prohibited from parking on the street.

The street department will be ordered to paint the sections as soon as weather permits. The council asked co-operation of the public in this matter.

The new regulations, it is believed, will enable automobile drivers to pass easily on Second street and will greatly relieve traffic conditions on Saturdays.

The proposed construction of a sidewalk from Ritchie Grocer company to Pine street, brought up at the meeting by Alderman Carter Johnson, was referred to the sidewalk committee for further study.

The proposed construction is on the north side of West Third.

The council meeting was presided over by Alderman Kenneth G. Hamilton in the absence of Mayor Albert Graves, who was out of the city.

Following the filing of routine reports, the meeting adjourned.

### Highest Level in History Expected for Mississippi

Will Be "Acid Test" for Levee System Constructed Since 1927

#### STATE IS DELUGED

Rain Continues, January Marching to Record in Hope Area

MEMPHIS, Tenn. —(AP)—U. S. Army engineers strengthened their forces Thursday for a battle with the highest flood stages in the history of the Mississippi river.

The engineers expressed confidence that the gigantic levee system erected by the government after the 1927 disaster in the valley will hold against the onrushing waters in its first "acid test".

#### 4 Other Roads Closed

LITTLE ROCK —(AP)—Heavy rains sent another rush of flood waters down overburdened Arkansas streams Thursday, closing four additional highways, and overflowing streets in a number of towns.

The State Military Department reported it had received more requests for tents to house the refugees than it could fill.

Heavy downpour left two feet of water in the streets of DeValls Bluff and isolated several Paragould homes.

#### January Nears Record

Rainfall during the present month of January steadily approached a 10-year precipitation record Thursday. A total of 9.82 inches had been recorded up to noon Thursday, the Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment station reported.

The 10-year January record was established in 1930 with a reading of 10.08 inches for the full month.

The station reported that 2.70 inches of rain fell from 7 a.m. Wednesday to 12 noon Thursday.

The weather forecast for this section Thursday night was rain accompanied by a cold wave with temperatures ranging from 20 to 24 degrees.

The forecast also called for partly cloudy weather Thursday night and Friday.

It was reported by Ben Wilson at Fulton that Red river had risen a half foot for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Thursday. The gauge reading was 20.8 feet. The flood mark at Fulton is 25 feet.

Mr. Wilson reported that 3.87 inches of rain was recorded in the Fulton area from 7 a.m. Wednesday to the same hour Thursday, bringing total precipitation up to 14.60 inches for January.

Irene Dunne has nine telephones in her new home, but each is disguised in wall compartments, behind books and in tables.

### Tenancy Problem Theme of District Extension Session

Farm and Home Demonstration Agents of Southwest Meet Here

#### DR. BLALOCK TALKS

Tenancy Good Starting Point, But Often Man Never Escapes It

By FRANCES STANLEY  
Assistant Extension Service Editor

Growth and development of the Extension Service program in Arkansas was the theme of the first session of the annual southwest district conference of county agents and home demonstration agents which opened here Thursday morning at the city hall.

Miss Ella Posey, district home demonstration agent, and L. C. Baber, district agent, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture, presided at the meeting.

The history of the home demonstration club movement in the state was traced by Miss Elna McLaughlin, acting state home demonstration agent. From a small beginning of less than 150 women in 1915, the organization now enrolls more than 45,000 rural women, who are interested not only in clothing, food, and shelter, but in the larger economic and social questions, such as taxation, county government, land use, and rural schools which affect farm life.

A contrast between the accomplishments of extension agents in 1926 and 1936 was drawn by C. C. Randall, assistant extension director. In 1936, agents contacted four times as many rural people as in 1926, 4-H club membership increased more than 3 times the 1926 membership and the value of products sold by farmers receiving marketing assistance rose from \$734,000 in 1926 to nearly 11 1-2 million in 1936.

**The Tenancy Problem**  
The farm tenancy situation was discussed by Dr. H. W. Blalock, member of the State Public Utilities Commission, and on leave of absence from his position as rural economist at the College of Agriculture.

"The tenancy problem is a state-wide problem," he stated, and it is as much of a white problem as it is a negro one."

The "damming-up" of population in the country and the increased production per worker were given as causes for the rapid increase in tenancy, until now 150,000 or 60 per cent of the farmers of Arkansas are tenants.

"There are several reasons for tenancy," said Dr. Blalock. "It gives the young farmer, just starting out, an opportunity to gain experience under the supervision of an older farmer. It also enables a farmer who has lost all his resources to get another start in the farming business. The

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### Turned Brown By Brown Turner

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Now that we've decided to build a few battlements to discourage any nation from having a notion this country would be as easy to take as Ethiopia was, we might figure in an ark or so just in case it keeps on raining in the Middle West. We've got to save our horses and mules to make a crop this year so the boll weevils and grasshoppers will have something to play with, and with President Roosevelt all fixed up for the next four years and so many people going off relief about all the New Dealers have to worry about this week is the rise in automobile tire prices. That means when you have a crash it will cost more.

### Poll Tax Repeal Adopted by House

But Amendment Proposal Would Establish Separate \$1 Capita Tax

**Poll Tax Repeal**  
LITTLE ROCK —(AP)—The house adopted 92 to 6 Thursday a resolution by Cofelt of Saline county to submit a constitutional amendment to the 1938 elections to abolish the poll tax as a requisite for voting.

The proposal would allow the legislature to provide a per capita tax of not more than one dollar on each person in the state over 21 years of age.

This tax, Cofelt explained, would have nothing to do with the voting eligibility, but would replace the revenues lost through the elimination of the poll tax.

Taylor of Clarksville introduced a bill in the senate to levy a 2 1/2 per cent gross insurance premium tax against every kind of life, accident and health insurance company operating in the state.

**Civil Service Favored**  
LITTLE ROCK—The senate special civil service committee approved the state civil service bill Wednesday night and sent it back to the senate, where it is N. 1 on the calendar, with the recommendation that it be passed without amendment.

Several members indicated they would seek to amend the bill on the floor to strike out a sub-section which provides that persons employed by the state when the act takes effect shall continue to hold their position until laid off for inefficiency or other cause.

Several of the senators said that no preference, and should be required to pass before being eligible for employment.

Senator Featherstone of Murfreesboro introduced an amendment striking the sub-section, but withdrew it.

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### Sheriff Ordered to Probe Case of L. L. Middlebrooks

Officials and Witnesses Prepared for Trial—Principal Is Absent

#### COURT TERM ENDS

Sentence in Other Arson Cases Is Deferred Until April Term

A sheriff's investigation of the whereabouts of L. L. Middlebrooks of Patmos was ordered in Hempstead circuit court at Washington Thursday when Middlebrooks, charged with arson, failed to appear for trial.

Prosecuting attorney Ned Stewart ordered Sheriff Jim Bearden to investigate a report that Middlebrooks had gone to Louisiana to the bedside of one of his children who was reported ill.

Middlebrooks, a former rural mail carrier and preacher, was scheduled to go to trial at 10 a. m. for his alleged part in the burning of his home near Patmos several months ago.

Several witnesses and a large crowd of spectators had gathered in the court room to hear the case.

**Defendant Missing**  
When the defendant failed to answer as the case was called, his attorney, W. S. Atkins, stepped forward and explained to the court that his client had telephoned him at 4 a. m. Thursday, saying that he had been called to Louisiana where one of his children was ill.

The court took no action on Middlebrooks' bond, which has allowed him liberty for the past several months.

Prosecuting attorney Ned Stewart ordered Sheriff Bearden to make an investigation.

If it is found that Middlebrooks was actually called by Louisiana because of serious illness of one of his children, the case will probably be postponed until the April term of court, officials said.

Circuit Judge Dexter Bush Thursday deferred sentence on three other defendants charged with arson in connection with the burning of the Middlebrooks home.

They are Bailey Springs, Woodard Breed and Joe Lowthorp, all of Hope. Sentence was deferred until the April term of court. The three men pleaded guilty in court several days ago.

**Other Proceedings**  
Herman Cooper, Hope negro, pleaded guilty to the murder of Dennis

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### Cotton

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—March cotton opened Thursday at 12.39 and closed at 12.39-40.

Spot cotton closed steady two points up, middling 13.00.

## "Hit-and-Run" --- Closeups of Traffic Tragedy

## Picture Record of Grief Rises to Haunt the Fleeing Motorist



If you know the hit and run driver whose traffic judgment felled 70-year-old Frank Tapedino, show him this picture of the mingled grief, terror and despair that distorts the face of Tapedino's daughter after seeing her mangled father.



Luckily the old man was not killed when the black sedan swooped down upon him as he crossed the street just a block from his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., on his way to work. Pity tenses the face of the youth seen examining the unfortunate's injuries.



Quickly a doctor appears. By the gleam of the policeman's flashlight, he dabs at Tapedino's wounds while the injured man bravely grits his teeth. The torn coat and sweater as well as the gashes in his scalp and bruises on forehead tell of his misfortune.



Shaken by his harrowing experience, Tapedino, his head neatly bandaged, sits helplessly on a crate, an object of pity, awaiting arrival of an ambulance. The agony of his injury twists his face into a mask of resigned tragedy.



Up clings the ambulance, and Tapedino, assisted by doctor and policeman, hobbles to the waiting ambulance for the trip to the hospital. Into the night flees the hit-and-run driver, haunted by memory of a torn body left in the street. Similar scenes—even more tragic ones—attend every hit-and-run accident in Hope.



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## A Balanced Budget - Message



## The Family Doctor

Decrease in Blood's 'Platelets' May Be Cause of Severe Bleeding

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine.

Ordinarily, when the skin is cut or when there is a wound in any part of the body, the blood, after a brief flow, will begin to thicken, or coagulate, a clot will form, and the bleeding will stop.

Through this process has been known for many years, the nature of coagulation is not yet fully understood.

We do know, however, that clotting of the blood depends on many factors, both chemical and physical, and that interference with any one of these factors may disturb the whole process so that clotting of the blood is delayed or inhibited completely.

Any one can see that it is immensely important to stop the flow of blood, because otherwise the victim will die. For that reason, many methods have been developed for testing the coagulation time, before operating on a person, there is a suspicion that his blood will not clot correctly.

After a surgeon has studied the length of time required for clotting, the firmness and consistency of the clot, and other factors by which he can decide whether normal coagulation may be expected, he then can decide whether to operate.

One of the factors definitely concerned in clotting is the number of platelets in the blood. In addition to the red and the white blood cells, the blood contains certain formed elements known as platelets.

The normal platelet count is 200,000 to 400,000 in each cubic millimeter of blood. If the number falls below 50,000 to 60,000, the person may suffer with severe bleeding; if the number of platelets falls below 20,000 for each cubic millimeter, there are likely to be certain hemorrhagic symptoms.

Methods have been developed for counting the platelets exactly as the red and white blood cells are counted. Another test commonly is that of bleeding time. Ordinarily, if a finger or ear is punctured with a sharp needle and the blood wiped off with a piece of gauze or blotting paper at regular intervals, the bleeding will stop in less than three minutes.

In some cases, the bleeding may last 10 minutes, in which case it is considered to be prolonged. There are, however, cases in which the bleeding will go on for hours unless suitable steps are taken to stop it.

People who have prolonged bleeding time are likely to bleed and to bruise easily so that their skin usually will be full of black and blue spots. Whenever a person finds that he bleeds and bruises easily, he should have a competent doctor study his blood to determine whether he suffers from any of the diseases that are associated especially with a shortage of platelets or with disturbances of a hemorrhagic character.

## Your Children

By Olive Roberts Barton

Attitude of Child Predicts Adult's

usually it is about mannerst type n When we speak of habits in a child, usually it is about manners, kindness, regularity, punctuality and so on. But actually, there is something far more important than any of these. The habit of feeling. The way the child feels about this world is the way he will be. It is called attitude.

The way any man looks at things and his place in the world either makes him or unmakes him. And so we should do our best to give every little boy and girl a healthy view-point toward life.

I have always stressed the virtue of "work habit." It has to be ingrained early to count for anything at all. Neither mentally-lazy nor physically-lazy children will ever be happy. It just can't happen. Rich and poor alike must teach their children to bustle about and get things done. Why? Because they won't learn to love exertion later, and the really lazy ones get to thinking that the slightest task or the smallest responsibility will kill them.

Interest is Revivifying Just what work is, depends on attitude. It is surprising how the mind can suddenly bounce a supposedly tired body up and about when something very exciting or pleasing happens. A girl who has gone to bed presumably exhausted after a busy day, has been known to get an astonishing amount of sudden strength when invited to go to a party. She can dance all night and come in at dawn with a laugh and song on her lips.

We are all that way. Our trouble is in classifying the things we like to do. And usually we don't like to do much. And then there is the child whose mother and aunts and Grandmas say all too frequently, "Daisy is the weak link of the family. She is not strong enough to help with the dishes." Maybe Daisy isn't, but repeating it to her day after day won't make her stronger. She may grow into a woman feeling so sorry for herself, that never a smile will brighten her features. And she will get out of breath easily and let everything and everybody wait.

Attitude Affects Invalidism Of course, if there is any part of her body that won't function properly, or if some illness has left her with a permanent deficiency, such as a bad heart, she must be cared for and watched. But even here, except for her to be told that she must not do certain things, she should not grow up with the mental attitude of the confirmed invalid. In fact, she may outgrow what was considered incurable, if she is not perpetually alarmed about herself.

There are so many things. Another is a deep-seated unhappiness caused by the parents' resentment against fate. It passes on to the child at once. And it may sour him against the world forever, robbing him of the chance to be happy when he can.

These early mental habits are the result of feeling. Not thinking. The wholesome mind is seldom too sorry for itself, huddles itself out of tight places, gets over knocks when they come without brooding, does not take health too gloomily without any real reason, thinks of others instead of self much of the time, and above all, has some fun.

As the child thinks, so will be the man or woman.

## A Book a Day

By Bruce Catton

Irish Folk Lore Introduced in Newest Books for Young

Periodically, Bruce Catton's "A Book a Day" column is turned over to Olive Roberts Barton, noted child training expert, for a review of the latest books for children. Here is another of her authoritative articles.

By OLIVE ROBERT BARTON  
A new twist to fairy tales is the introduction of Irish folk lore for children.

Ella Young has hunted out the word-of-mouth legends about "Cubbaun Snor" among the cottagers who have told them for a thousand years in Gaelic-speaking Ireland, and has printed them in "The Wonder Smith

and his Son." Ireland is the background also for her book for younger children, "The Unicorn with Silver Shoes," about the princeling who wishes to see fairyland. (Both books published by Longmans: \$2 each.)

All Erin's belief in enchantment is compounded in "The Donkey Goes Visiting," by Patricia Lynch (Dutton: \$2), a full-sized book wherein the turf-cutter's children meet leprechauns and magic every two steps of gripping adventure. Second of two books about the turf-cutter's children.

### Informative Books

Many books addressed to juveniles would improve the adult I. Q. as well. "Champions of Democracy," by Joseph Cottle (Little Brown: \$2), makes first-rate reading, with chapters on great leaders of freedom, from Roger Williams to Woodrow Wilson. James Daugherty's collected sketches, "Their Weight in Wildcats" (Houghton Mifflin: \$3), is a meaty book

## New Hope

Quite a number are ill in this community now, possibly due to the continued warm days and damp weather.

Mrs. A. J. Arrington was shopping in Hope Saturday. Aubrey and Jennings Cox, Truman Arrington, and Lester Watkins attended singing Sunday night.

Misses Clara and Florine Paris spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Vivian Schooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schooley called on Mr. and Mrs. Hal Good Sunday night.

A. N. Stroud of Washington was in this city Monday.

Friends are glad to hear that Mrs. W. A. Alford is improving nicely, after a few days illness.

Mrs. George Morton called on Mrs. Earl Schooley Tuesday morning of this week.

A number of friends from this community attended the funeral of Luke F. Monroe of Washington last Friday afternoon.

Sunday school begins here each Sunday morning at 10:30 and singing at 6:30 in the evening. Everyone is invited.

## So They Say

Recent Congresses seem to be getting gayer.—Pete Macias, Washington, D. C., bandmaster.

A large portion of the world is moving without a compass. It thinks it is moving forward, but actually it is moving backward at top speed.—Nicholas Murray Butler, Columbia University.

The American public today is almost totally ignorant of symphonic music despite unparalleled opportunities to hear it daily.—Sigmund Spaeth, music critic and commentator.

In the past it was the Indian who used paint to decorate his body and face. Now it is the white woman.—Johnny Ballard, Indian chief, addressing co-eds at the University of Idaho.

The depression made everybody

on American frontier heroes, both legendary, and factual.

"Fresh and Briny," by Frances Rogers and Alice Beard (Stokes: \$2), pictures water as friend and foe of man through all time. Read it and learn about dams and water systems.

A hobby book for young biologists is "The Book of Living Reptiles," by Raymond L. Ditmars (Lippincott: \$2); and anyone, young or old, whose zeal for planting is greater than his knowledge, will find "The Gardener's First Year," by Alfred Bates (Longmans: \$2), a thorough manual.

"Joseph Haydn, the Merry Little Peasant," by Osnal Wheeler and Sybil Deucher (Dutton: \$2), follows the Croatian lad from mischievous choir boy to famous composer. The volume includes several minutes.

For Older Boys and Girls

A vivid new book for high school girls is "Bepsey Marlowe of Charles Towne," by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking: \$2), the story of a girl who left fashionable London to go with her exiled brother to colonial Georgia.

Norma Bicknell Mansfield has written, with her usual verve, "McAllister Patrol" (Farrar and Rinehart: \$1.75), a zipping western adventure story for girls.

For older boys, Howard Pease has done another book about Stan Ridley, hero of previous sea adventures. In "Hurricane Weather" (Doubleday Doran: \$2), he is tangled in intrigue in the Pearl Islands.

"Flag of the Desert," by Herbert Best (Viking: \$2), uses the scientific knowledge of two boys to confound the natives of West Africa, and rout the plots of an international agitator. Exciting, satisfying, and informative to boys over 12. Author Best has spent years in Africa and speaks with authority.

## LETTERS to the Editor

This is your newspaper. Write to it. Letters criticizing the editorial policy or commenting upon facts in the news columns, are equally welcome. Choose a topic everyone will be interested in. Be brief. Avoid personal abuse. The world's greatest critics were painfully polite. Every writer must sign his name and address.

Amen, Aaron!  
Editor The Star: I have felt this coming on for some time and am writing mainly to get it out of my system.

We have traveled from the ox wagon to the airplane, from the news-runner to the radio. We have made progress all along the line except in our spelling. There are more misspelled words in the dictionaries than you could count in the next week or two. As Andy would express it, I'm repelled. I'm getting weary of losing the thought if any, while turning to Webster to find what he had to say away back yonder about the spelling, which, when found, is often silly.

For instance: Pneumonia is a word in everyday use; but why the "p" and "e"? And what business does a "p" have in the word psychology? Then we have the word, phthisis. It is pronounced as if spelled this way: thi-sis. These are merely mild examples. There are thousands of others even worse. As an old bootlegger friend of mine used to say "It's n-

## MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. Most people pass about 2 pints a day or about 3 pounds of waste. Frequent or scanty passages with smearing and burning shows there may be something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. An excess of acids or poisons in your blood, when due to functional kidney disorders, may be the cause of nagging backache, rheumatic pains, lumbago, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Deane's pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Deane's Pills.

boimable." I have often wondered how old man Webster and other compilers got the idea that they had the right to tell the world how it must spell. I deny their right. I'm through with that bunch.

From now on I'm going to spell 'em as they sound.  
AARON ALE

January 21, 1937.  
Hope, Arkansas.

## Holly Grove

Every one would be glad of some pretty weather. Mr. M. E. Atkins of Battlefield is visiting here for two weeks. She is visiting her children.

Mrs. S. A. Roberts and two small children of Hope, spent a few days last week with her father, Mr. F. J. Willis and Miss Frances Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roberson of near DeAnn are the proud parents of a new little daughter.

Misses Norma and Mozelle Clark are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Roberson.

Beatrice and Allison Hembree called on Helen and James Hembree Monday.

Mrs. Lonnie Lumpkins and two children were Saturday visitors of Mrs. Maude Elliott.

Sunday is the regular preaching day.

Mrs. Ellen Nelson visited her son at Hope Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Sunday school at 2:30, ending at 3 p. m. Everyone is invited.

**NASAL IRRITATION**  
due to colds.  
Relieve the dryness and irritation by applying Menthohatu night and morning.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Franks were Tuesday visitors in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Corley Tedder have returned from their wedding trip and are temporarily at home at 809 West 5th street.

The P. T. A. study group will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the Oglesby school.

The regular bi-weekly meeting of the Bay View Reading Club was held at three o'clock, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maggie Bell on South Main street. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. L. White, and after a short business period, Dr. E. A. Chaplin was presented as program leader acting for Miss Mamie Twitchell. Dr. E. A. opened the program, which was a continuation of the study of Arkansas, by giving most interesting data about the early history and development of Little Rock and Pulaski county, giving the origin of the name of the Capital city and its splendid location, being almost the central point in the state. Mrs. Fannie Garrett told of the scenery in and around the city, giving descriptions of the resorts and playgrounds, followed by Mrs. Hugh Smith who told of the pioneer and modern builders, products and industries. Mrs. Hugh Jones closed the program with a discussion on the development of education, dwelling on the outstanding high school of Little Rock. Dr. Chaplin read a very pleasing poem entitled "I spend a Week in Arkansas," closing the afternoon's study. Following the program the hostess assisted by Mrs. J. L. Jamison and Mrs. Sid Henry served a tempting sandwich course with cake squares and hot tea.

The Friday Music Club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Louise Keith, with Miss Harriet Story as joint hostess. The Choral Club will meet promptly at 2 o'clock followed by the study, "Fun in Music" led by Mrs. John Welborn at 3 o'clock.

S. G. Norton spent Thursday in Shreveport, where he assisted in celebrating the 75th anniversary of an old friend, Mr. S. B. Taylor.

For the past week Mrs. A. J. Galloway of Hope has attended the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. D. Herndon of Hugo, Okla., who has been ill. Mrs. Galloway was called back home Tuesday night to her husband's bedside. He is ill with flu.

Hope chapter No. 328 O. E. S. will hold its regular meeting from the Masonic Hall at 7:30 Thursday night. A full attendance is urged.

## Poll Tax Repeal

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when Senator Barney of Texarkana questioned the propriety of the committee reporting the bill back "do pass" with Senator Featherstone's amendment. Senator Barney suggested that the bill should be debated on the floor rather than amended in com-

## O. A. Graves Undergoes Successful Operation

O. A. Graves, senior member of the law firm of Graves & Graves, underwent a successful appendicitis operation at Barnes hospital in St. Louis, and is resting well, members of the family here were informed Thursday. Mr. Graves has been in the St. Louis hospital since last week end.

mittee.

That the committee appears wholeheartedly interested in the enactment of an iron-clad civil service measure was indicated by its informal agreement to introduction of a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment which would permit enactment of a stronger civil service bill two years from now.

At the suggestion of J. N. Heiskell, Raymond Rebsamen and Lamar Williamson, members of the honorary commission that prepared the present bill, Senator Norrell of Monticello, chairman of the Civil Service committee, agreed to introduce a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment if the resolution should be "agreeable to the committee." Members of the committee indicated that such a resolution would be agreeable and Mr. Williamson was instructed to draft one.

Mr. Rebsamen called attention to "constitutional snags" encountered by the honorary commission in drafting the present bill, and suggested the calling of a constitutional convention. The state's present constitution, which was adopted in 1876, contains provisions which prevent enactment of a "perfect civil service measure," he said.

As an alternative to a constitutional convention, he suggested a constitutional amendment, empowering the senate to set up a Civil Service system. He said that under the present constitution, vesting in the legislature the sole power to fix salaries and the number of state jobs, no merit system created would be safe from alteration or destruction by subsequent legislatures.

Refuses to be Prosecutor  
HOT SPRINGS, Ar.—Scott Wood, former circuit judge, sent a letter to Circuit Judge Earl Witt Wednesday night, declining the judge's proposal that Mr. Wood take charge of the prosecution of seven ex-officers of the Police Department who are under indictment on charges of second degree murder in connection with the death of John Dickson, while a prisoner of the police.

Two Hot Springs surgeons, who performed an autopsy on Dickson's body, filed a report saying that Dickson had been terribly injured and that they found evidence that he had been tortured.

Judge Witt, in a letter sent to Mr. Wood Wednesday, offered to disqualify himself in the trials of the former policemen and to permit Mr. Wood to take charge of the prosecution, replacing the prosecuting attorney, Gibson Witt Jr., who is a brother of the circuit judge.

Neutral on Dispensary  
LITTLE ROCK — Governor Bailey

## Hope Is Abandoned for Life of Pope

Pontiff Sinking, Though Death May Not Occur Immediately

VATICAN CITY, Rome —(AP)—Physicians have given up all hope for the recovery of Pope Pius, Vatican sources said Wednesday night and added it could no longer be disguised that he was sinking.

The doctors, however, believed the 73-year-old pontiff was in no immediate danger of death unless his heart should give out suddenly. The heart has shown signs of new weakness.

Vatican informants said the Pope's eldest brother, Fermo Ratti, who died six years ago, suffered from troubles similar to Pius' ailments but lived more than a year after he was stricken.

## Deepest Oil Well Is Over 2 Miles

Tidewater Company Completes California Well 10,569 Feet Deep

NEW YORK —(AP)—Drilling nine feet beyond the two-mile mark, the Tidewater Associated Oil Company brought in the deepest oil well in the world, the company announced Wednesday.

"McGonigle No. 12," the new well's official title, is in the Ventura avenue field, in California, and is 10,569 feet deep.

"McGonigle" takes the record from No. 5 "Rigolette" of the Texas Company in Lafayette field, Jefferson parish, Louisiana, 10,244 feet deep.

A total of 59,058 persons received old age assistance amounting to \$1,862,998.94 in California in November.

said Wednesday that the proposal to enact a state-owned liquor store law to take the place of the present state-licensed store law is not an administrative measure.

The bill was introduced by Senator Coleman of Poinsett county and Senator Smith of Monroe county and it has been reported that Governor Bailey favored the change and has endorsed the Coleman-Smith bill.

The governor said that he had not read the bill, that he was not sponsoring it and that it was entirely up to the legislature what they do about the measure.

"The bill has had no support and no opposition from me," Governor Bailey said. "Some supporters of the bill have talked to me about and explained what they said were its good features. I have heard what its opponents say are its bad features, but I have not read the bill and have no first hand knowledge of its provisions."

## Herndon Installed

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over 10 years of age engaged in work in Hempstead county.

A quartet composed of Otho Taylor, Jim Bowden, Sweeney Copeland and Claud Taylor rendered two songs. Carroll Thibault then installed the following officers for the incoming year:

R. V. Herndon, president; Joe Floyd, vice president; Sweeney Copeland, treasurer; Leo Tauer, secretary.

After the installation, Mr. Thibault then made the address of the evening.

## Arson Defendant

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Turner, another Hope negro, and was sentenced to life imprisonment. Turner was shot to death in a house north of Hope several weeks ago.

Earl Horn, negro, was acquitted on a charge of burglary and grand larceny from H. C. Carter.


A jury Wednesday afternoon returned a verdict in favor of Missouri Pacific railroad in a civil suit brought against the railroad by O. C. Hayes.

Hayes brought suit for alleged personal injuries and for labor he said had been performed.

Circuit court adjourned Thursday noon until the April session.

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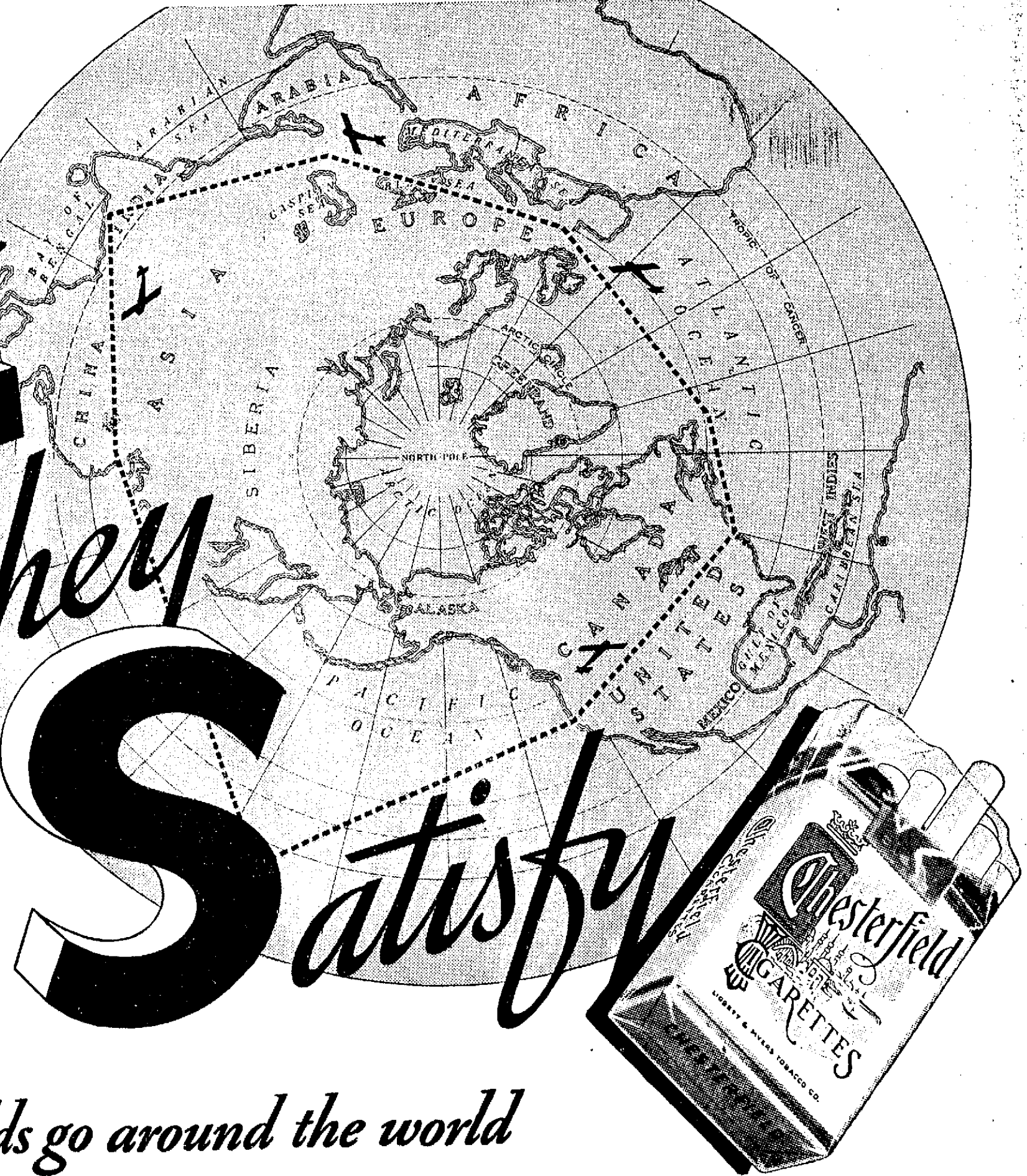
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# THE SPORTS PAGE



## Thomsen In Line for Nebraska Job

Rumor Has It That Porker Coach May Succeed Dana X. Bible

LITTLE ROCK—Unofficial reports from Lincoln, Neb., say that Fred C. Thomsen, coach of Arkansas, will be offered the coaching job at Nebraska if Dana X. Bible accepts the athletic directorship at the University of Texas.

Coach Thomsen gained national recognition the past year because of his accent on the passing game and coaching the Razorbacks to the Southwest Conference championship. He also coached the Porkers to the title in 1935 but it was not recognized because of a minor technicality.

After graduating from Nebraska, Thomsen coached a Nebraska high school to the state championship and then came to Arkansas as assistant to Francis Schmidt, present Ohio State coach. Thomsen took over the head coaching job in 1929 when Schmidt resigned to go to Texas Christian University.

Thomsen declined the coaching job at the University of Tulsa last year to remain at Arkansas.

Rumors that Thomsen would become attached to another college in 1937 have been prevalent since Dwight Sloan passed the Porkers to a 7 to 0 victory over Texas in the mud here last December.

Reports that he would sign with Syracuse while at the coaches' meeting in New York were spiked when Ossie Solem, former Iowa coach, was named for the berth.

Thomsen has yet to state his intentions to the press. He said he was "happily contented at Arkansas," when he was in Little Rock last week.

Coach Thomsen said it is only natural, however, he would consider an offer of a bigger and better job.

## Frankie Frisch Is Worried Over Team

St. Louis Manager is Uneasy Over Cardinals' Pitching Staff

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—Manager Frankie Frisch of the Cardinals brought his troubles to St. Louis Wednesday to the man who always see silver linings in the clouds, Owner Sam Breadon, and the man who usually straightens out all difficulties, Vice President Branch Rickey.

Pepper Martin wasn't among Frisch's trials and tribulations. Martin drove into town in a truck, galloped into the Cardinals office and speedily signed his 1937 contract. He said he was "hip-top and ready to go."

But, all in all, it was "worry, worry, worry" with Frisch. He fairly barked:

"What if Paul Dean doesn't come back? What if Jim Winford doesn't come through? What if we don't get any help from our young pitchers? What if—your fellows don't know what worrying is in this world?"

Frisch will be here for about 10 days and then he hopes to get to Florida in time for a little fishing before the spring grind starts.

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## New in Balkline Billiards



A new style of balkline billiards will be introduced to America, Jan. 25-30, when Jake Schaefer, shown at practice on a table with the new marking, and Willie Hoppe meet in a match game of 28.2 in Chicago. The 28.2 game, or 71.2, as it is known in Europe, where it has been played for five years, is 30 per cent more difficult than 18.1. Each of the lines shown is 28 inches from the nearest edge of the table, and 7 by 7-inch anchors are at the edge ends of the lines. The center free space is eliminated, and a player must drive a ball across a line on his second shot.

## Grimes Says Mungo Is Best In League

Dodger Manager Rates Him Above Dizzy Dean of Cards

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(AP)—Manager Burleigh Grimes of the Brooklyn Dodgers stopped over in Nashville long enough Wednesday to say "sure, Van Mungo is for sale, but nobody has offered me what he is worth."

"They'll have to go higher than anything offered yet," said Grimes, who is headed for Florida. "How high would I rate Mungo? Say, I wouldn't rate anybody ahead of him."

He said Mungo "would win just as many games as Dizzy Dean" if they were on the same club.

"And if Bill Terry had Mungo and Hubbell, Van would win more games than his star southpaw. I can't see any reason to rate any pitcher above Mungo."

Dog Mascots Pompoon  
NEW YORK.—Much of the success of Pompoon, great juvenile of 1936, is said to be due to his mascot, a toy bulldog that accompanies the thoroughbred wherever he goes.

Chicle is the only stallion of the C. V. Whitney stud more than 10 years old. The patriarch of the breeding establishment is 24.

**NEW NAVY COACH**



Lieut. Harry J. Hardwick, above, of Blacksburg, Va., is the new head football coach of the United States Naval Academy, succeeding Lieut. Tom Hamilton. Hardwick served as an assistant under Hamilton. They were teammates as midshipmen, Hardwick playing end in 1924-25. Hamilton goes to sea under the regulation limiting officers to three years of shore duty.

## Baseball Players Begin Tournament

Wes Ferrell Favored to Retain Trophy in Florida Play

SARASOTA, Fla.—(AP)—Professional baseball stars from the major leagues down to the class D Florida State League will tee off here Thursday in the national baseball players' golf tournament.

The event inaugurated last year, is sanctioned now by the United States Golf Association.

Wesley Ferrell, Boston Red Sox pitcher, will defend possession of the Powell Crosey trophy in a field that includes 33 stars of the diamond. They will play 18 holes daily, with the finals set for Sunday.

Pre-tournament favorites Wednesday night were Ferrell, Sammy Byrd, former Cincinnati outfielder; Lloyd Brown, and Willis Hudlin, Cleveland pitchers, and Garland Braxton, Milwaukee pitcher, with Paul Derringer, Cincinnati; Gerald Walker, Detroit; and Jack Russell, Red Sox, given a chance.

Dizzy Dean, St. Louis Cards' pitching ace, notified officials he would be among the players, after first having said he wouldn't enter because "I don't like medal play and probably won't have time anyway."

Lyn Lary, Cleveland's new shortstop, was a late entry.

The oldest player entered is Nick Altrock, veteran Washington coach and clown, who, despite his 60 years, breaks 80 frequently.

There are two brother combinations entered in the event. They are Wes and Rick Ferrell, of the Boston Red Sox, and Paul and Lloyd Waner of Pittsburgh.

## Union Cage Team Loses First Game

Quinn High School Breaks Three-Year Winning Streak of Union

ELDORADO.—The Quinn senior basketball girls knocked the powerful Union Lady Cyclones from the ranks of the undefeated with a hard fought 29-to-26 win in the Quinn gym Tuesday night.

The loss was the first suffered by the Cyclones in three years. Union's star

## King without a country

CHAPTER XIII

PAUL followed the aide to the motor car. The driver spun the wheel, turned about, and guided the car on a swift drive through the city, out beyond the last factories and the moors, and across the denning moors, and down a gravelled drive between formal rows of poplars. Dimly, Paul recognized the place as one of the summer estates of Baron Lanzia.

The car drew up before a great 19th century manor house. The aide guided Paul in through a side entrance, and led him—by some little-used back hall, apparently—to a second floor apartment. A guard stood aside, and the aide tapped on the door. It opened, and the aide asked Paul to go in. Paul entered, and the door closed behind him.

Joseph was standing by a window, precisely as he had been the last time Paul saw him, in the royal lodge the night of the abdication. He came swiftly across the room and took Paul's hands in his, pressing them hard; for a long minute the brothers looked at each other without speaking.

Paul regained command of himself first.

"Well, your majesty," he said, smiling. "You see I did come back."

"You did come back," repeated Joseph unsteadily. He hesitated, and added, "To stay?"

"No, no, Joseph, not to stay. I am going away again, and this time I am going forever."

"Where are you going?" Paul shrugged.

"I don't know. Does it matter very much?"

"To me it matters very much indeed. . . . Paul, why did you come back?"

Again Paul shrugged. "To look for something I had lost, I suppose."

"Did you find it?"

who wears it as a crown is meant to be worn? Can a—

"YOU were never too small for it! Paul, Paul, we were always closer than royal brothers usually are. There was never any suspicion of envy or distrust. You were my idol when I was a boy. I loved you, looked up to you, wanted to pattern myself after you. Can't you stay on—for my sake?"

Again Paul smiled sadly and shook his head. He took Joseph's hand from his arm and patted it gently before he released it.

"Joseph, we should know by this time that a king cannot ask for things for his own sake. He can't ask for love or comradeship or the easy, soothing little things that make life happy. He is on a pinnacle, and he is condemned to be lonely. It is his curse and his privilege."

"Let's look at things honestly. I was given that task, but there was something soft in me, somewhere. I thought that I could be a man, with a man's homely little desires and weaknesses, when I was born to be a king. You will not make that mistake. You will go on, lonely and often very miserable in your high place, because you can see the thing I did not see until too late—the chariot of fire that your poet Blake talked about, the new Jerusalem that has to be built among the slums and the coal tips and the factory yards. And because you see those things, your people will move forward just a little nearer to the place where they can actually build that new Jerusalem."

He broke off, for his voice had suddenly become unsteady.

"I am beginning to talk in pretty flowery language, and that is always a sign that I have said all that I have to say," he said lightly. "Let's not be tragic. I go and you stay. I leave my love with you. You know that. Give me yours—and your royal blessing—and I will go."

Joseph started to speak. His voice broke, and he cried, "Oh, Paul!" and threw his arms about his older brother. Then, at last, he drew away and mastered himself.

"Goodbye, Paul, and God bless you," he said.

THE sloop Irene rounded the last headland and lay over before a stiff east wind. Paul trimmed the sheets and perched at the tiller, with never a glance over his shoulder for the land of Northumbria, falling astern forever.

He was on his way—to what? Back to the old life on the Bay of St. Francis, with Ardath and all

In This Corner

## GIVES LOUIS THE OLD COLLEGE TRY



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## Highly Publicized Sir Thomas Wins But One Cheap Race In Three Years

Poor Man's Colt Shatters Dream of Alex Gordon—Loses Futurity To Singing Wood In Mud By a Nose

Last of five articles on famous turf failures  
By MAX RIDDLE  
NEA Service Turf Writer

It was on a February day in 1935 that a climax and crisis came in one of the greatest dramas of the turf. It came in the career of Sir Thomas, a horse in which the grandest dreams of Alex Gordon had been centered. "The track was Santa Anita, out there in the pure western air where mighty mountains frame one of the finest racing plants in the world."

The field got away with the odds on favorite off no better than sixth. A sigh went up from the crowd. This was a race for maidens—horses which have never won a race—and most of those on-lookers knew well enough the folly of betting a maiden into favoritism of that sort.

With gradually mounting spirits they watched the brown colt begin to pick his way through the tangle. America's greatest jockey, Raymond Workman, was on his back, and the little man guided his horse with skill and daring. Slowly but surely the brown horse moved forward.

Just when it appeared that he would be blocked off, the horse bounded forward to draw easily away from the others. He won by two lengths. Perhaps you will say this was a triumph. It was not, though Gordon, himself a great trainer, and another noted trainer, H. C. Riddle, prayed for this victory.

One Victory in 3 Years

It actually was the end of hope for a horse which had seemed destined for the greatest heights a thoroughbred can achieve. Sir Thomas had carried the hopes of thousands of turf fans as well as those of the canny Scot who owned him. Those thousands prayed in hope that a poor man's horse could win rich races. And it had seemed that he would.

But when Sir Thomas finished his third year of racing, he had won just one event, that race for maidens. And yet his name had been exalted above that of winners of \$50,000 or more. During those three years he enjoyed a fame which no other maiden ever had, and he crushed the hopes of all those who maintained faith in him.

As a juvenile, the son of Sir Galahad III, out of Breathing Spell, by Dark Ronald, seemed a rather smart youngster. Gordon declared that Sir Thomas was one of the best of all time, however. And he told any and all who would listen.

Gordon brought his horse out for the Belmont Futurity. It was a poor day for race horses. They ran in heavy mud. But the Futurity is the richest race in the world for 2-year-olds, and many an owner brought out his horse.

Loses Futurity by Nose  
Down the long Widener straightaway came the field, swirling through the slop.

It appeared that Singing Wood would be an easy victor. But out of the rack, and on the outside, came a brown streak of lightning. It seemed that he never would catch the leaders, and as it happened he didn't. He was second to Singing Wood by a nose, and one stride beyond the finish line was on top.

There the legend of Sir Thomas began. All through the winter it grew.

He had finished the year still a maiden. But he had been the best horse in the Futurity, and he entered the winter book betting lists as a pronounced favorite for the Kentucky Derby.

As spring came around reports of sensational training came in. He looked like a champion. He trained like one. In Kentucky, he was considered a certainty to win. And then, a week or so prior to the Derby, Sir Thomas went postward in a preparatory race. He finished dismally, far behind the leaders.

When Derby Day came around, Sir Thomas was there, still proud though his prestige had been tarnished. He finished twelfth, beating only Quasimodo. In the Withers he was fifth. Even then, Gordon had faith in him.

But today Sir Thomas, now unsexed, is down among the platers. He sessed, occasionally, but only enough to remind those who backed him so heavily of one of the most amazing failures in the history of racing.

Purdue's current basketball squad is bucking the odds in attempting at least to share the Big Ten title for the fourth successive year. Only once in Big Ten history has a title string extended that long. Chicago sharing the championship in 1907, and winning it outright in 1908, '09, and '10.

## Officials Debate Hiring D. X. Bible

Large Salary and Long Time Contract Demanded by Bible

AUSTIN, Tex.—(AP)—Instead of paying the football coach less, pay the professors more, the chairman of the University of Texas regents suggested Wednesday as a way to remove a reported objection to hiring Nebraska's Dana X. Bible here.

Bible and Texas officials were in conference Wednesday night, while regents persisted that salary was one of the main points under discussion.

One report was that Bible asked \$15,000 to \$25,000 for himself and staff with a five-year contract. The university president receives \$8,000 and the best-paid professor, \$5,000.

"We should pay \$25,000 to the president of a great institution like the University of Texas," said H. J. Lathrop Stark, chairman of the regents, and millionaire "godfather" to T. U. athletes.

"The top professional salary should be \$10,000 and other salaries of faculty members should be raised and graduated in proportion."

Dr. H. Y. Benedict, president of the university, has expressed opposition to paying the coach more than any faculty member, and Bible was said to be hesitant to accept the job without full faculty good will.

Stark, an advocate of hiring a "big time" coach, said there should be no jealousy on the part of the faculty if the regents deemed it advisable to pay more for a coach, since the faculty salaries were determined by the legislature.

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**HORIZONTAL**

1. Quaker settler in North America.

11. Strong vegetable.

12. Olive shrub.

13. Bird's home.

14. Myster.

15. To jump.

16. Point.

17. To emulate.

18. Little devil.

19. And.

20. To ward off.

21. Musical note.

23. Ground.

24. Semi-diameters of circles.

27. Measure of area.

28. To concede.

30. Fodder vat.

31. Cavern.

33. Earth.

34. Measurement.

35. Discharged.

36. Kind.

37. Learning.

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

**GALLI-CURCI**

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**VERTICAL**

1. Was victorious.

2. Not apt.

3. To tip.

4. Quantity.

5. Within.

6. Stuck in mud.

7. Man in.

8. Political office.

9. Fragrant.

10. Oleoresin.

11. Those who fight duels.

12. Work of skill.

13. Sound.

14. Spore plant.

15. French soldier.

16. Shed.

17. Courageous.

18. Dyeing apparatus.

19. French coin.

20. Company.

21. Night before.

22. Italian river.

23. Doctor.

24. Morindin dye.

**TOKIO**

C. M. Hipp of Bingen, our road overseer was here Friday working our road as the rains have made them bad.

**STORIES IN STAMPS**

By I. S. Klein

**HERO WHO NEVER SAW SUCCESS.**

THE Magyars had been humbled by the Turks and later ducked by the victorious Austrians, when a new leader came to them, Francis Rakoczi II, born in 1676, son of an influential and wealthy prince of Transylvania, took up arms for the independence of his people, when he was 28, and continued fighting unsuccessful campaigns until his final tragic defeat in 1710.

So courageous was he, and so famous became his exploits, that twice the throne of Poland was offered to him, once by the King of Sweden and then by the Czar of Russia, but both times he refused. Exiled with his mother when a boy, he had to flee for his life after an early defeat. Returning, he fought for seven more years, only again to suffer defeat and exile. Louis XIV of France aided him until he retired to a monastic life at Radoslo on the Sea of Marmora. There he died, in 1735, when he was 59 years old.

In 1935, on the 200th anniversary of Rakoczi's death, Hungary issued a set of stamps in his honor.

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**Male Help Wanted**

WANTED—Man with car to canvass Hope-Prentiss territory. No investment. See U. F. Ryan, Hotel Barlow, Friday.

**Wanted**

WANTED—Number one Green Hides. We pay 6 1/2 cents per pound. Pages Market, East Third. 20-tfc

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Four room furnished apartment with private bath and garage. J. A. Sullivan, Phone 147. 20-tfc

**Found**

FOUND—Black cow with white spots. About 4 years old. B on left jaw. Weighs about 600 lbs. See G. J. Gilbert on Marvin Jones farm, Shover Springs Route Two. 19-3tp

**For Sale**

FOR SALE—Best grade sorghum molasses. 55 cents per gallon. New buckets. Call at Hope Star office. 25-26-dh

**HOPE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION**

**SALE EVERY TUESDAY**

Bring livestock or any thing else. We have buyer for your stock and can sell your mules, horses, cattle and hogs as high as any one. At our barn on South Walnut.

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**FOR SALE—Young cow with young calf.** If interested see A. C. Monte. 14-tfc

**FOR SALE—One second hand high tank and closet bowl \$8.** One kitchen sink, \$3. Harry Segnar, plumber, Phone 171-W. 21-3t-p.

**FOR SALE—Gas Range and Heaters.** Mrs. B. F. Mitchell, 405 Greening. 20-3tp

Miss Juanita Tommy of Nashville spent last week with her sister Mrs. A. C. Monte and Mr. McLarty. Harold Higgins returned Saturday from Hot Springs where he visited relatives.

Jeff Watkins of Nashville was a business visitor here Saturday.

A. C. Holt and A. M. McLarty were business visitors to Nashville Thursday.

Barney Hutson was a business visitor to Nashville Saturday.

Richard Smith was a business visitor to Nashville Friday.

J. R. Smith was a business visitor to Nashville Saturday.

Richard Wolff and Ed Ross of Bingen were in this section Friday.

Miss Helen Sanford of Bingen spent Tuesday night with Miss Bernell Stanbanks.

Fred Holt of Bingen was a Tokio visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Lin Smith visited her son at Bato Saturday night.

Mrs. Elmer Hilton and little son of Fort Sill, Okla., are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Threat and other relatives here.

A. C. Holt left Monday to attend court at Washington.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with ... Major Hoople

OKAY! START YOUR BROADCAST ON HOW YOU BECAME A HERO, BEFORE YOU BUST WIDE OPEN! TH' BLOOD PRESSURE IS GETTING UP TO TH' POPPING POINT.

YOU OWE US MONEY! WE CAN AFFORD TO TUNE OUT ON YOU—OH, HUM! IF I SNOOZE, SLIP A PROP UNDER TH' SWAYING BODY!

HME—AH—HEM—HEARING A CRY OF DISTRESS, I DASHED TO GIVE ASSISTANCE! A DESPERADO THREATENED ME WITH A PISTOL, BUT BEING A MASTER OF THE ART OF FISTICUFFS, I LANDED A WELL-AIMED BLOW AND LAID HIM HORS DE COMBAT! THE PRESENTATION OF THE \$1000 REWARD AND THE MEDAL FOLLOWED.

AND HE HAS THE MEDAL, TO PROVE IT—

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Y'SEE, PEG IS SHAGGY OLD GIRL! THEY'VE GROWN UP TOGETHER.

HE'S BEEN SWEET ON HER ALL HIS LIFE—STILL IS, I RECKON! BUT SHE'S BEEN HOLDIN' BACK! YEP! SMART GIRL, PEG IS.

## ALLEY OOP

YER IMPERIAL MAJESTY—RULER OF LEM. KING OF SAWALLA, MONARCH OF MOO, MIGHTY CONQUEROR OF CONQUERORS.

HAH! BOY, THAS ME-SOUNDS GREAT, TOO—HEH, HEH! ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT—GIT ON WITH WHATCHA GOT T.SAY—

WE BEG TO INFORM YOU THAT OOLA CAN'T BE FOUND!

WHAT? BAH! YOU BONEHEADS! I'LL FIND HER! ORDER EVERY FEMALE IN MOO BROUGHT HERE AT ONCE!

BUT, YER HIGHNESS WE'VE LOOKED EVERYWHERE.

## WASH TUBBS

YOU SAY THE TENT SHOW FIGHTER'S A SET-UP! AND THE OWNER BETS BIG SUMS ON HIM?

EVERY NIGHT, YOU CAN SLIP TORPEDO BLOTTS INTO THE RING, UNDER A PHONEY NAME, AND CLEAN UP.

I DUNNO, THE REFEREE MIGHT GIVE MY BOY A RAW DEAL.

HA, HA! THERE'S NO DANGER IN THAT BECAUSE I'M THE REFEREE.

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

YOU'VE BOUGHT A CAR?

I HAD TO HAVE SOMETHING TO COMPETE WITH SIDNEY WICKLEY, AND BESIDES, IT WAS MY OWN MONEY!

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

IT LOOKS LIKE SOMETHING THAT CRAWLED UP TO THE CURB AND DIED! HOW MUCH DID YOU PAY FOR IT?

WITH A SPARE TIRE THROWN IN, I GOT IT FOR \$14.78...I TALKED THE GUY DOWN FROM \$15! GET IN AND I'LL TAKE YOU FOR A RIDE!

## MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

NICE OL' WOMAN, LADY AINSLEY, I THINK I'M GONNA LIKE IT HERE.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR GAME IS, BRUNO, BUT IF IT CONCERNS ME, I WARN YOU—

NOW, NOW—IS THAT A NICE WAY TO TALK, AFTER I FOLLOW YOU ALL THE WAY DOWN HERE, TO PROTECT YOU? I'M REALLY NOT A BAD SORT, YOU KNOW...A BIT ROUGH, PERHAPS, BUT...HEY! WAIT A MINUTE—

LADY AINSLEY, I FEEL IT MY DUTY TO WARN YOU...

ABOUT BRUNO? COME, NOW—I'M SURE HE ISN'T ALL THE THINGS YOU THINK HE IS. BESIDES, HE'LL BE A GREAT HELP TO US, HERE AT AINSLEY HOUSE...

ANOTHER THING...HOW DID YOU KNOW BRUNO WAS AT THE SERVICE ENTRANCE? I'M SURE HE DIDN'T KNOCK!

THAT, MY DEAR, I CAN'T EXPLAIN—BUT YOU'LL FIND I KNOW MANY STRANGE THINGS!

## OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS

EASY, NOW—TAKE IT EASY, NOW, PANHANDLE PEONIE.

GOOD GAWSH! IS THIS TH' RACE HOSS? WHY DIDN' YUH TELL ME? I MIGHT O' RUINED HIM, BENDIN' A LAIG. I THOUGHT YUH WAS JUST SHIPPIN' A PIECE O' CHIPPENDALE.

NEVER MIND THE SARCASM, CURLY! I THOUGHT I'D TRY PUTTING SOME ONE ON A RACE HORSE, TO TRY AND MAKE SOME MONEY FOR US—NOBODY ON A COWHORSE IS DOING IT!

## Gone

IN FACT I'M PERTY SURE SHE TURNED HIM DOWN FER KEEPS AN' THAT'S HOW COME HE STARTED OUT ON HIS LAST WILD GOOSE CHASE! WAIT A MINUTE, I WANTCHA T'MEET HER! PEG—OH, PEG.

MY PAL

WHY, THEY AIN'T HERE!!!! BLESS MY SOUL...THEY MUST'VE SKIPPED OFF BY THEMSELVES.

## Paging Ooola

AWRIGHT, YER HIGHNESS—WE'VE ROUNDED UP TH' WOMEN. BRING 'EM IN! WHATCHA WAITIN' ON!

WELL, CHIEF—NOW WHATCHA GONNA DO? YOU'VE SEEN EVERY DADGUMMED UP! WELL, FIND OOLA OR BUST!

I WON'T GIVE UP! GAL WE COULD FIND IN MOO—

## Planning a Clean Up

YEAH? WELL, HOW DO I KNOW YOU'RE TO BE TRUSTED?

BECAUSE I'M GOING TO BET \$500 ON BLOTTS.

IT'S A BARGAIN! C'MON, BOYS, WE'RE GONNA CLEAN UP SOME EASY JACK.

## A Bargain

HMM, THAT'S FUNNY! IT DOESN'T SEEM TO WANT TO START!!

WHEN YOU GET IT ALL WOUND UP, SET IT FOR NINE O'CLOCK!

## By THOMPSON AND COLL

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### Issue Permits for 2 Hempstead Tests

Drilling Permits Given to Root, El Dorado, Birdwell, of Tyler

LITTLE ROCK—The Arkansas conservation board during the week ending January 16 issued a total of 13 permits, but only two for drilling tests.

The drilling permits were granted to Root Petroleum Company of El Dorado and C. P. Birdwell of Tyler, Texas, for tests in Hempstead county, the first being located 330 feet north and 330 feet west of the southeast quarter

of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 24, township 14, range 24, and the second 330 feet north and 330 feet east of the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 24, township 13, range 24.

C. W. Hays et al were granted a long permit for a Hempstead county test. Other log permits were to Steele and Warrack for a Nevada county test and Citizens Gas Company for a Crawford county test.

The Imperial household of China once had a rule that a dinner must include every dish ever requested by the emperor. So many foods were tried by Emperor Chen Lung during his lifetime that ultimately 120 tables were needed to hold various dishes served him daily.

### Student Confesses Arson at Ouachita

Twice Set Fire to College Buildings 'Just for the Thrill of It'

ARKADELPHIA—Authorities of Ouachita college have announced that a male student has confessed he set the fire that damaged the main building \$40,000 on December 6, 1935, and also was responsible for several minor fires since that time which were quickly discovered and extinguished without loss.

His name was not divulged, but it was stated he was sent home Tuesday.

President J. R. Grant and Business Manager Carey B. Gardener were both enroute to Paragould to the Baptist State Convention Tuesday afternoon and the announcement was given out by other officials of the college.

Confession was obtained, it was said, after Professor J. C. Stewart, dean of men and psychology teacher, gave the student the association test as the regular semester examinations are on this week, the suspected boy did not know the purpose of the test which included the writing of a list of words. It was claimed his reactions to some of the words indicated his connection with the fires and after a severe grilling broke down and admitted he was guilty.

The culprit then stated he was greatly relieved, but asked if the test indicated insanity. Asked his reason for setting the fire he replied he did it just for excitement.

Local authorities have not yet arrested the youth who went to his home in another city and it was not known whether the Clark county grand jury would seek an indictment.

The series of fires began last November when on a Sunday afternoon the Conservatory of Music building caught fire and burned to the ground. The main building also caught fire on a Sunday, two weeks later, heroic efforts preventing destruction, but a heavy loss was sustained by fire and water.

College authorities suspected a fire bug and since the blaze in December which has extinguished two other fires without any damage. The watch will be kept up as a matter of routine.

Locks have been used since earliest times. The ancient Egyptians used wooden locks of crude construction. Locks and keys of bronze and iron have been found in the ruins of Pompeii and Herculaneum.

### Newt Butler, Rosston, Enlists in U. S. Army

Newt D. Butler Jr., of Rosston, Nevada county, is among the recent recruits accepted by the U. S. Army recruiting station at Texarkana. He has been assigned to Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

### 430 Head Livestock Sold Here in Day

Establishes Record for Recent Years, Sutton & Collier Say

Livestock totalling 430 head were sold here Tuesday in what was reported to be the biggest auction sale in recent history of Hope.

The sale was made by Sutton & Collier, livestock dealers, South Laurel street.

Stock that went through the auction ring included 300 head of cattle, 100 head of hogs and 30 mares and mules. Mr. Sutton reported that most of the stock brought higher prices than quoted on the markets in recent months.

### Tenancy Problem

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danger is that it does but seldom fulfill these promises, as is evidenced by the mere fact that so many of our tenants are old men.

Among the dangers of tenancy, Dr. Blablock stressed the destruction of natural resources, an unstable and uncertain home life, and disorganized communities in which tenants predominated.

"This problem will not be solved in the next 10 or 15 years. It is one big enough to challenge us for the next half century. We cannot take a mentally and physically sick tenant family and expect them to make a success of a farming enterprise, even if the government sets them up in the business. We must do some health work among our tenant population to see that they are physically able, and we must begin educating the children in the early grades at school to respect the soil and teach them to want and work for home ownership and a normal home and community life."

T. Roy Reid, regional director, Resettlement Administration, explained the different divisions of resettlement work. Referring to the tenant situation, he stated that through the farm debt adjustment work many Arkansas farmers had been kept from slipping back into tenancy, while resettlement and rehabilitation were helping those most able to come up from the tenant class and become home owners.

Agents in Session  
County agents and home demonstration agents met in separate sessions Thursday afternoon. A new study course which will be used by all home demonstration clubs in the state was discussed at the home agents' meeting by Mrs. Ida A. Penion, extension economist in household management. Each club in the state will select a study course leader to lead a study in government and taxation.

Other speakers on the program were Mrs. Myrtle Watson, Miss Eloise Stanford, Miss Lenore Abboud, and Mrs. Mildred Wise, home demonstration agents in Union, Ouachita, Yell and Clark counties; Claude Woolsey, extension horticulturist; and Miss Ella Posey.

Livestock production in southwest Arkansas was discussed by M. W. Muldrow, extension animal husbandman, C. U. Robinson, Ben Rice, and

### Sheriffs Would Regain Licensing

Advocate Moving Auto Licensing Authority Back to Counties

LITTLE ROCK—The Arkansas Association of Sheriffs and Collectors devoted nearly two hours Wednesday night to discussion of their proposal for return to sheriffs of the duty of issuing automobile licenses performed in recent years by the State Revenue department.

On motion of Sheriff J. E. Bearden of Hempstead county another meeting was called to be held at the Marion at 8 p.m. next Wednesday. The motion included inviting Governor Bailey representatives of the Revenue department, prosecuting attorneys and all county officers to participate.

A committee of three was designated to draft a bill providing for the resumption of the old method of license issue. W. C. Crue, Drew county sheriff, president of the association, was named as ex-officio chairman by popular vote. As his aides he selected J. D. Dubard of Poinsett county and Grady Woolley of Union county.

At the start of the meeting there was a brief discussion of the association's proposed bill to regulate the transportation of livestock in an effort to prevent thievery. The bill was amended to require that brands and earmarks of butchered animals be available for inspection whenever the carcasses are transported.

### District Governor of Rotary Speaks Friday

John Bruner of Marked Tree, governor of the 62nd district of Rotary International, will pay his official visit to the Hope club at its meeting Friday noon at Hotel Barlow. All Hope Rotarians are urged to be present.

King Farouk, whose recall to Egypt to ascend the throne interrupted his studies in England, will return to Great Britain next summer to renew personal friendships and tour industrial centers.

O. L. Henderson, county agents in Columbia, Perry, and Lafayette counties. Fruit and truck production problems were discussed by G. W. Ware, assistant director of the Fruit and Truck Branch Experiment station at Hope, and Paul Carruth and W. E. Laughlin, county agents of Ouachita and Garland counties.

A round table discussion of cotton problems was led by C. J. Byrd, assistant director of the Cotton Branch Experiment Station at Marianna, and A. A. Dhouau, assistant extension agronomist. County agents taking part were Clifford Alston, John W. Mense, and J. L. Hiler, Clark, Hot Springs and Nevada counties.

The development of a forestry program was discussed by M. H. Bruner, extension forester, and G. H. Banks, assistant director in charge of the Rice Branch Experiment Station, Stuttgart, explained the work being done at the station with varieties of soy beans.

Approximately 50 extension agents, specialists, and supervisors are attending the meeting, which will be continued through tomorrow.

### Sign Group Insurance for Saenger Theater

Group insurance for the Malco Theaters system employees was extended to Hope Thursday when Manager Arthur Swanke of the Saenger conferred with Lewis C. Callow, manager, and George H. Hipp, group representative, of the General American Life Insurance company office in Memphis, Tenn.

### Rebel Attack Is Launched in South

Insurgents Bomb Malaga, Last Government Port in South Spain

MALAGA, Spain.—(AP)—Insurgent planes bombed this important Mediterranean port Thursday in what was thought to be a preparatory attack for the expected drive of the reinforced Southern army.

The insurgent coastal force, which has pushed its way from Algiers in bitter fighting, was reported approaching Malaga. Military circles bustled with preparations for a siege which is expected to be as devastating as that of Madrid.

### 60-Year Deadline

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ges, of whom there are 30.

Since he announced he had made it his policy not to name any above 50 it can be expected that a substantial number ranging in years between 40 and 60 who will be put on the bench will be sitting there interpreting the laws of the land, for 10 to 30 years.

Federal judges are appointed for life, conditioned on good behavior. They may retire at 70 after 10 years' service on the federal bench, but they may serve beyond 70 if they choose. As instances, Justice Van Devanter has served since 1903 on the federal bench, being a supreme court justice since 1910. Justice McReynolds has been on the supreme court since 1914 and Justice Brandies since 1916.

Similar service by Roosevelt appointees would carry them to 1950 or 1960. Thus Mr. Roosevelt's imprint on the government will not be limited to the eight years he is expected to serve. If it is conceded that he has changed

### Get Up Nights Due to Bladder Irritation?

It's not normal. It's nature's "Danger Signal." Make this 25c test. Use buchu leaves, juniper oil, and 6 other drugs, made into little green tablets called Bukets. Flush out excess acids and impurities. Excess acids can cause irritation resulting in getting up nights, scanty food, frequent desire, burning backache, and leg pains. Just say Bukets to your druggist. In four days if not pleased your 25c will be refunded. John S. Gibson Drug Co. Briant's Drug Store.

### Itch Is Raging

In all parts of this section. Kill the ITCH quickly with BROWN'S LOTION. Salves are messy to use. BROWN'S LOTION guaranteed to stop ITCH. 60c and \$1.00.

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### Keep Your Kidneys Free From Irritating Acids and Poisons

If you Would Avoid Backache—Sleep Sound All Night Without Getting Up and Enjoy Good Health

Preventable diseases among farm and domestic animals cost China the equivalent of \$40,000,000 in United States currency annually.

Nowadays, thousands of men and women at the first sign of kidney, bladder trouble start right in to take an inexpensive family remedy known as Ramon's Brownie Pills for the kidneys.

Just ask for Ramon's Brownie Pills for the kidneys and refuse substitute. 35 cents at all druggists—guaranteed.—Adv.

Fish Statistics  
LEWISTOWN, Mont.—(AP)—Twenty million fish have been raised at Lewistown fish hatchery since 1917. Hodgeford, superintendent. He estimates the cost of producing a pound of fish is about one cent an inch for a fish of growth up to seven inches. The fish are released in Montana streams.

## PIGGLY WIGGLY

VISIT OUR PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

FRESH FLORIDA STRAWBERRIES	Pint	15c
BANANAS GOLDEN RIPE	Dozen	15c
CAULIFLOWER SNOW WHITE	Doz.	15c
GRAPEFRUIT LARGE SIZE	Dozen	33c
CABBAGE TEXAS GREENHEAD	lb.	2 1/2 c
NEW POTATOES	lb.	6c
GREEN BEANS	lb.	10c
CRANBERRIES	lb.	10c
Fresh Mushrooms	pt.	15c
ENDIVE	Bch.	5c
LETTUCE Large Head		5c
CARROTS Full Bunch		5c
Fresh Tomatoes	lb.	12 1/2 c
Radishes and Green Onions	Bch.	5c
Fresh RHUBARB	lb.	19c

PANTRY PICKINGS

CRACKERS SALTED	2 lb. Box	16c
PEAS AVONDALE SIFTED	No. 2 Can	15c
TOMATOES No. 2	3 Cans	25c
SUGAR PURE CANE	10 lbs.	50c
SHORTENING HAMKO	8 lb. Cart.	\$1.05

Clifton TISSUE 4 Rolls 19c

Red Bird MATCHES Boxes 10c

Jefferson Island SALT 3 Boxes 10c

Country Club PORK & BEANS Tall Can 10c

Country Club TOMATO JUICE Tall Can 10c

Avondale 24 lb. FLOUR Sack 79c

Country Club No. 2 1/2 HOMINY Can 10c

Country Club No. 2 1/2 KRAUT Can 14c

Country Club No. 1 COCKTAIL Can 15c

Country Club No. 2 APPLE SAUCE Can 12c

Country Club P-NUT Embassy BUTTER Quart 25c

Full Cream 24 lb. MEAL Sack 65c

SOAP 7 BIG BARS 25c

CAMAY SOAP Bar 5c

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BACON TALL KORN lb.	27c
BLACK HAWK lb.	33c
SPECIAL Sliced lb.	22 1/2 c
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SHOULDER Roll Roast lb.	25c
Loin Tip STEAKS lb.	33c

ARMOUR LINK SAUSAGE	Pound	29c
PIG LIVER	Pound	12 1/2 c
BULK LARD	Pound	14c
PICNIC HAMS	Pound	17 1/2 c
SALT MEAT	Pound	14c

CHEESE	Pound	25c
LAMB GENUINE SPRING LEGS	lb.	27c
CHOPS	lb.	33c
SHOULDER ROAST	lb.	19c
STEW	lb.	15c

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